IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.BASANT

MONDAY, THE 8TH OCTOBER 2007 / 16TH ASWINA 1929

Bail Appl..No. 6112 of 2007()

CMP.5880/2007 of J.M.F.C.-III,NEYYATTINKARA
[CR NO.64/2007 OF AMARAVILA EXCISE RANGE]

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: PETITIONER/ACCUSED

SANTHOSH, S/O PALAYYAN,
VENKOTTUKUZHY KIZHAKKUMKARA PUTHEN VEEDU,
KAVALLOOR DESOM, KEEZHAROOR VILLAGE,
NEYYATTINKARA TALUK.

BY ADV. SRI.PIRAPPANCODE V.S.SUDHIR
SRI.R.V.SREEJITH

RESPONDENTS: COUNTER PETITIONER

STATE OF KERALA, REPRESENTED BY THE
PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, HIGH COURT OF KERALA,ERNAKULAM.

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.S.U.NAZER

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 08/10/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

R.BASANT, J.

B.A.No.6112 of 2007

Dated this the 8th day of October 2007

O R D E R

Application for regular bail. The petitioner faces allegations under the Kerala Abkari Act. The petitioner was allegedly found to be in possession of 2.5 litres of arrack on 10/9/2007. He was arrested and continues in custody from that date. The petitioner has two other earlier cases under the Kerala Abkari Act also registered against him, submits the learned Public Prosecutor.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner prays, the learned Public Prosecutor does not oppose the said prayer and I am satisfied that regular bail can be granted to the petitioner subject to appropriate conditions.

3. In the result, this petition is allowed. The petitioner can now be enlarged on bail on the following terms and conditions:

i) He shall execute a bond for Rs.25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only) with two solvent sureties each for the like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate.

ii) The petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation before the investigating officer as and when directed by the investigating officer in writing to do so.

(R.BASANT, JUDGE)

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ORDER

21ST DAY OF MAY2007